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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Applicant(s) in the above-identified application hereby petition(s) for a three-month extension of time to and including May 1, 2006 for responding to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2005. An Amendment and RCE Request accompany this Petition.

- [] A check in the amount of \$.00 is enclosed herewith.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 200920,0009) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
 - [X] Extension fee in the amount of \$1,020.00
 - [X] Any deficiencies or overpayments in the above-calculated fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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